

A. F. JUDD IS GOING TO THE PHILIPPINES

THE PLANTERS' ASSOCIATION'S AGENT TO SECURE LABORERS FROM THE PHILIPPINES IS THE WELL KNOWN YOUNG ATTORNEY—WILL PROBABLY TAKE THE AMERICA MARU NEXT WEEK TO REPRESENT THE PLANTERS IN FAR EAST.

Albert F. Judd is the man who will go to the Philippines for Filipino labor for Hawaii and he will probably go on the America Maru, which is to arrive here next Saturday from San Francisco and proceed to the Orient. Judd is a well known local attorney, of the firm of Atkinson, Judd and Mott-Smith. He was selected at a meeting of the Planters' Association Thursday afternoon, it is said.

The legal and transportation difficulties attendant upon getting labor from foreign lands will not all apply to the Philippines proposition. It is understood that transportation arrangements are in sight, whereby if Judd's mission proves successful there will be facilities for the rapid transportation of laborers here from Manila. It is anticipated by some that there will be opposition in the Philippines, where good labor is also in demand.

The planters, it is understood, propose to offer liberal terms to the prospective emigrants from the Philippines, and will make them "domesticated labor," on terms which will be satisfactory to the administration at Washington. A plan to bring Japanese here from the Philippines will be a part of Judd's work, it is understood.

In the meantime the arrangements for the trip of Collector Stackable to the Azores are going ahead, and he will probably leave in about six weeks. Joe Marsden was en route to Porto Rico looking for good Porto Ricans if there are any. But the planters have finally decided to abandon this mission.

Stackable's trip is as agent of the Board of Immigration. Judd and Marsden represent the Planters' Association.

PINCHOT COMING AGAIN

JARED SMITH REPORTED TO BE TAKING UP LAND MATTERS IN WASHINGTON.

News has been received from Washington that Gifford Pinchot, chief of the Bureau of Forestry of the United States Department of Agriculture, is to make another visit to Hawaii in the near future. He is expected here in June, and will make a stay of some weeks, investigating forestry here, as well as the land laws and the proposition of settling public lands in Hawaii.

According to the same report United States Commissioner of Agriculture Jared G. Smith has been having a number of conferences with Pinchot and others on the subject of lands and forests in Hawaii. Smith went to Washington to work for tobacco and coffee interests in the islands, but he has also been going into the land question, and some friction between him and other Hawaiian representatives at the Capitol developed as a result of differences in opinion as to what should be done. Smith is expected to come back about the same time as Pinchot comes.

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EXPLOSION ON THE KEARSARGE

(Associated Press Cable to The Star.)
WASHINGTON, April 14.—Lieut. John M. Hudgins and five men were killed today and another officer and a number of men injured by an explosion in the forward turret of the battleship Kearsarge. The explosion occurred while the vessel was engaged at target practice near Cuba.

FORMOSA SHAKEN AGAIN SHIP BURNED AT SEA

TOKIO, Japan, April 14.—There was another bad earthquake in Formosa. There were many casualties and the damage was heavy.

DELAGOA, South Africa, April 14.—The British ship George T. Hay burned and was abandoned in a sinking condition.

PROMOTIONS IN THE ARMY.
WASHINGTON, D. C., April 14.—Lieutenant General Bates U. S. A., retired from active service today. General Corbin succeeds him and General Bell will be chief of staff.

CORNER STONE REPRESENTATIVES OFFICE LAID.
WASHINGTON, D. C., April 14.—The corner stone of the office building of the House of Representatives, was laid here today with Masonic ceremonies. President Roosevelt delivered an address.

THE LA PALOMA HAS GONE TO SEA

SHORTLY AFTER TWO O'CLOCK TODAY HAWAII'S REPRESENTATIVE IN THE COMING OCEAN YACHT RACE LEFT HER DOCK AND HEADED FOR THE OPEN SEA—THE ROYAL HAWAIIAN BAND PLAYED HER OFF—LARGE CROWD.

The La Paloma has sailed. Shortly after two o'clock today Hawaii's representative in the coming ocean yacht race, set her sails and with the Hawaii Yacht Club's flag at her mainmast, she headed for the open sea and San Francisco. As she slowly sailed out of the harbor the Royal Hawaiian band played "Aloha Oe" as only Captain Berger's band knows how to do it. With the La Paloma go the good wishes of Hawaii's people both for her safety and her success in the coming race.

Just before sailing Captain Clarence Macfarlane expressed his confidence in the yacht's winning qualities. "If we don't win we will make the other fellows go home," he said.

The yacht's Gladys, Hawaii and Spray were among the numerous craft that accompanied the La Paloma for a short distance. Gasoline launches, and small craft of every description were running about the harbor.

For nearly an hour before the boat sailed Captain Berger and his band played appropriate pieces. Marches and waltzes seemed to be in favor.

The crowd was large and good natured. One could see by the expression of the faces what Hawaii's people thought of the La Paloma's chances. People began to gather at the wharf as early as twelve o'clock and did not leave until the last tip of the La Paloma was lost to view.

The yacht made a very pretty sight with all her new sails glistening white in the bright sunlight, taut with the fresh trade wind as she sailed out of the harbor.

Win or fail the La Paloma has a place in the hearts of Hawaii's people. The crew of the La Paloma is as follows: Clarence W. Macfarlane, sailing master and captain; Fred Mosher, mate and navigator; Charles O. Spinale and Sam, seamen; James Grube cabin boy; W. Pangelly, cook.

Each and every one of the above are experts in their particular line and Hawaii has nothing to fear in placing her representative in their hands.

The yacht's Hawaii, Gladys and Spray will attend the La Paloma as far as Makapu point, where the Hawaii and Spray will leave her for Rabbit Island. The Gladys will accompany her for twenty four hours and will bring back the first day's log. Captain Hobron expects to go to Lahaina upon his return here.

MARSDEN WAS TO GO TO PORTO RICO BIDS RECEIVED BY QUARTERMASTER

BOARD OF IMMIGRATION CONSIDERED BRINGING PORTO RICANS BUT GAVE IT UP.

That the Board of Immigration considered the matter of sending for more Porto Rican laborers was definitely stated this morning by J. P. Cooke. In an interview he said that it was thoroughly discussed and only given up at the last moment. Joe Marsden was the man chosen to go, and for that purpose came to these islands.

As Joe Marsden was on his way to the coast on the Alameda he stated to the officers that he was on his way to Porto Rico for laborers. When Mr. Cooke was asked in regard to the matter this morning he said that Mr. Marsden was on his way, but the board after much discussion had given up the plan.

When the Board of Immigration will meet again is not definitely known though it will of a necessity be soon, as Collector Stackable received his leave of absence yesterday and will want to leave soon.

LOST.
At the Criterion last night, several trunks. Finder will be rewarded as owners are desirous of losing them again.

Fine Job Printing, Star Office.

MANY CASES IN KAILUA RECORDS LOST IN COURTS

SOME SENSATIONAL HEARINGS IN PROSPECT BEFORE JUDGE MATHEWMAN ON HAWAII.

Judge Mathewman has summoned grand and trial jurors for the April term of his court, which is to open at Kailua on April 25. There is only a single criminal case on the calendar and that is a contempt case, but the grand jury has a long list of cases to investigate, including numerous charges of riot and assault and battery, growing out of the recent trouble over forcible occupancy of a school house by claimants to the premises. Many prominent citizens of the district are involved, and the cases will attract great attention throughout the island.

Deputy Attorney General Prosser of Milverton will probably go to prosecute at the term.

PREPARE FOR IMPEACHMENT

COUNTY ATTORNEY INVESTIGATING KEKAUOHA CASE TODAY IN AH TIM TRIAL.

County Attorney Douthitt went this morning to Koolaula, to try the Chinese case out of which grow charges which are to be presented against Deputy Sheriff Kekauoha before the Board of Supervisors. The case is that of Ah Tim, who was charged with an assault and, according to the accusations against the officer, was asked to dig up \$250 as the price of withdrawal of prosecution.

Incidentally, the attorney will look into the charges against the officer. The latter will probably not be heard on Monday evening, as was intended by the supervisors, as they have not yet been formulated in a legal way. W. C. Achi has been retained as counsel for Kekauoha, and will interpose a demurrer, it is said.

WARSHIP COMING PREPARING APPEAL

The Presidenta Sarmiento, a frigate of the Argentine navy, is on the way to Honolulu, judging by Post Office receipts by the last mail. Mail for those on board the vessel was received here. It was turned over to British Consul Layard, who acts for the Argentine government here.

GEAR STOPPED AT HILO.
Judge George D. Gear did not steal a march after all, by going to Seattle with the S. S. Olympia. The judge is in Hilo according to reports brought today by the steamer Kinau. His vessel, the Olympia, left Hilo last Thursday presumably for Seattle with 450 steerage and 3 cabin passengers. The judge will return to Honolulu shortly from Hilo.

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